

The Bulletin

The Kiwanis Club of Columbus



"Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world - one child and one community at a time."

“Bringing a century of service into the future.”

Noon to 1 p.m. luncheon meeting at The Athletic Club of Columbus, 136 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215



February 22, 2016

ANDREW JENKINS

Area Director

Columbus City Young Life



Andrew Jenkins is a Young Life area director. He oversees Columbus City Young Life, a non-profit Christian association that reaches out to high school students through caring and genuine relationships with Young Life leaders.

Young Life has been impacting the lives of teenagers since 1941. Since its humble beginnings in Gainesville, Texas, it has grown into an international organization through more than 700 ministries in more than 70 countries. A non-denominational Christian ministry focusing on adolescents, Young Life was first introduced to Columbus in 1970 by Dave Chilcoat, a lawyer and author of the book, *Nobody Tells a Dying Guy to Shut Up*. Since its inception, there are now more than 36 ministries in greater Columbus, including Young Life Columbus City (YLCC), which was established as its own area in 2010.

Andrew Jenkins and his leaders are extremely excited to see the growth and development of the ministry in the city of Columbus. Young Life continues to develop at Beechcroft, Centennial, Northland, West and Whetstone High Schools where students discover eternal life through personal relationships with Jesus Christ. This powerful change has developed in them a heart for their peers and communities.

Jenkins earned a Bachelor of Arts in Middle Childhood Education from The Ohio State University in 2012. He is a native of Finneytown, Ohio, and resides in Columbus. He enjoys coaching, spending time with his family and supporting his church and the City Schools. In his spare time, he and his fiancée are busy with preparations for their wedding in March.

Today's Meeting

Greeters:

Jim Skidmore- Retired, Ohio Department of Job and Family Services

Chuck Frobose – Key Realty

Invocation:

Jerry Kuyoth – Friendship Village Dublin

Committee Meetings: Young Children Priority One

Menu Options:

Hot: Grilled sirloin with wild mushroom demi and a wedge salad.

Cold: Shaved roast beef with lettuce, horseradish cream and tobacco onions on a ciabatta roll.

A Glance at this week

Birthdays: No member birthdays this week.

Monday, 02/22/1879 – In Utica, New York, Frank Woolworth opened the first of many ‘5 and dime’ Woolworth stores.

Tuesday, 02/23/1896 – The Tootsie Roll was invented.

Thursday, 02/25/1836 – Samuel Colt was granted a United States patent for the Colt revolver.

Friday, 02/26 – Centennial Committee meeting – 7:30 a.m. at Giant Eagle in Grandview.

Centennial tickets in limited quantity ...

If you have not yet purchased your tickets to the upcoming May 7 Centennial Celebration, you should do so soon.



Our venue, the Ohio Statehouse, can accommodate a maximum of only 300 guests, and we know we will not be able to accommodate everyone who wishes to attend. Formal invitations to District Kiwanis Clubs, International and District Kiwanis dignitaries, local officials, past speakers, grant recipients and former members will be going out soon.

To ensure that our members have ample opportunity to purchase their tickets and attend this monumental event, Club members being encouraged to purchase their tickets **NOW**, before the formal invitations go out.

You can either purchase tickets on-line from the homepage of our Club's website (www.columbuskiwanis.org) or by submitting a check to Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman**.

At the time of this writing, 32 of our Club members have already purchased a total 104 tickets. Don't miss out. Order your tickets today.

2016 Columbus International 5K: Racing to Reduce Infant Mortality.

Whether you are a runner or a walker, it is time to sign up for this year's Columbus International 5K and to spread the word among your family, friends and co-workers.

This year's event is taking a new approach, by building an educational and informational fair around the race itself. We will welcome the general public to come to the fair regardless of whether or not they are participating in the 5K event. In addition to the information booths, we will have entertainment, food trucks and activities for kids. It will be a family event that will run from 3:30 p.m. to 7 p.m., with the race beginning at 5 p.m.

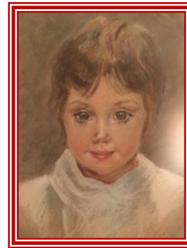
Our goal is to raise funds to help reduce infant mortality and to educate pre- and post-natal parents about the precautions they can take.

Please help us promote the event by signing up to walk or run, and by encouraging those you come in contact with to do the same. Perhaps you can put together a family, neighborhood or company team. You can learn more about the event and register to participate by going to www.columbusinternational5k.com.



The way we were ...

Let's catch up ... if you haven't been to every Monday meeting, you have probably missed the announcements regarding the childhood photos and the weekly contest winners. So here is a quick update:



Lisa Jolley



Jack D'Aurora



Sally Volpe

The winners of the weekly drawings for a free Kiwanis lunch were **Ted Coons**, **Bob Eberhart** and **Kristin Sydney**, respectively.

Are you ready for our next challenge? The first five people to successfully identify the Kiwanian in this childhood photo to the right will have their names entered into a drawing for a free Monday lunch at Kiwanis. Just e-mail your entry guess to Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman**. There is no limit on the number of times you can guess, but please, just ONE guess per entry.



To help you along, here is a clue about this week's childhood photo: *A second-career man who enjoys knitting and crocheting.*

Did you know?

In the Old West, a .45 caliber bullet for a six-shooter pistol cost 12 cents, the same as a glass of whiskey. If a cowhand was low on cash, he would give the bartender a cartridge in exchange for a glass of drink. This became known as a "shot" of whiskey.

Kiwanis Mid-Year Education Day ...

The 2016 Ohio District Kiwanis Mid-Year Education Day is scheduled for Saturday, March 5, at the Crowne Plaza Columbus North. Kiwanians from throughout the state will gather to learn more about club operations and available programs. There will be a number of breakout sessions to attend, depending on your particular interest.

The event is open to all Kiwanis members, especially those who are in leadership positions and/or striving to achieve one. You can register on-line at www.OhioKiwanis.org.

Are you ready for some pancakes?

Everyone loves pancakes. That is why so many Kiwanis Clubs utilize pancake breakfasts as one of their annual fund raisers. While the intensity of labor is often high, the overhead and cost of supplies are low, thus making for a perfect situation to raise money while enjoying fellowship within the club.



Several of the clubs within Division 10-W will be conducting all-you-can-eat pancake breakfasts in the coming weeks. These are open to the general public and you are encouraged to bring your entire family. It's a great way to let your kids enjoy a 'feeding frenzy' without costing you an arm or a leg. Let's support the efforts of these local Kiwanis clubs, as they strive to raise money to improve their local communities.

- **Saturday, February 27** – Grove City Pancake breakfast – 8 a.m. to noon, at the Grove City United Methodist Church (Purple Door Church) located at 2684 Columbus Street in Grove City. Tickets cost \$6 per person at the door.
- **Saturday, March 12** – Hilliard Kiwanis Pancake breakfast - 7:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m., at Hilliard United Methodist Church located at 5445 Scioto Darby Road in Hilliard.
- **Saturday, March 28** – Dublin Kiwanis 4th annual Easter Egg Hunt and Pancake Breakfast, will be held at the Coffman Park Pavilion in Dublin. The all-you-can-eat pancake breakfast will be catered by Chris Cakes from 8:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. The cost is \$6 per person. The Easter egg hunt will be at 10 a.m. sharp. This is a great event for young children and grandchildren.

Self-reporting your attendance to Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman** is required if you wish to receive attendance credit.

Driver needed ...

We are looking for a volunteer to periodically chauffeur Past President Bill Newman to our Monday meetings. Bill lives in the Worthington Hills area (north of I-270 off of Route 315) and is no longer able to drive by himself, yet he still has a desire to come to meetings, if only he can get there.

If you live on the north end of town and have the ability to pick up Bill on Mondays, please let us know. His daughter Delores is helping coordinate his schedule, and we can put you in touch with her to make arrangements.

“Kiwanis Nights with the Buckeyes ...”

Thanks to the efforts of Kiwanis Past Lt. Governor Faith Levine, we have two additional opportunities to enjoy some inter-club fellowship along with the excitement of Ohio State Buckeye sports.

On Sunday, February 21, the highly ranked Ohio State women's basketball team will take on Illinois, with tip-off at 2 p.m. Tickets are \$8 each and must be ordered by February 17.



On Saturday evening, February 27, the Ohio State men's hockey team will battle Wisconsin. Face-off is at 7 p.m. Tickets for this game are \$11 each and must be ordered by Tuesday, February 23.



To order tickets for either event, please e-mail your order to Past Lt. Gov. Faith at faith.kiwanis2015@gmail.com. Please make your check out to **Division 10-W** and mail to: Faith Levine, 836 Lindendale Court, Columbus, OH 43209.

Intelligence is like underwear: It is important that you have it, but not necessary that you show it off.

St. Patrick's Day dinner set ...

For many years it has been a Kiwanis tradition to provide a meal for the residents of Seton Square North Retirement Center on a Thursday evening around St. Patrick's Day each year. It is something the residents look forward to.

This year, St. Patrick's Day (March 17) falls on a Thursday, and we will again be providing entertainment and dinner for the residents. Dinner (tossed salad, lasagna and dessert) will be prepared off-site, so all we have to do is plate it and serve it up.



We will gather at 5 p.m., so that we are ready to serve by 5:30 p.m. If you are interested in helping with this service project, please contact David Brainin at dbraininllc@wowway.com.

*Life is so ironic.
It takes sadness to know what happiness is,
noise to appreciate silence and
absence to value presence.*

CYP Coffee Talk ...

On the first Tuesday of each month, Columbus Young Professionals (CYP) hosts a networking event for its members. Two upcoming events have special significance for Kiwanis Club of Columbus.

On Tuesday, March 1, the CYP's Coffee Talk networking program will feature our own Past President Jamie Richardson. The event begins at 7:30 a.m., and will be held at Dawson, located at 1114 Dublin Road, here in Columbus.

All Kiwanis members are encouraged to attend, and there will be no charge, due to our Corporate Membership in CYP. And, Jamie will be bringing White Castle breakfast sandwiches!

The CYP is promoting the event via their web site <https://www.cypclub.com/events/2016/775/coffee-talk-networking-with-jamie-richardson-vice-president-at-white-castle.html>, and to their more than 20,000 members via their website and social media.

The agenda will look like this:

7:30 - 8 a.m.: Attendee registration and open networking
(coffee and light breakfast served).

8 - 8:05 a.m.: Welcome by CYP Club Networking
Director, Ryan Conway.

8:05- 8:20 a.m.: Member Introductions

8:20 - 8:50 a.m.: Guest Speaker: Jamie Richardson

8:50 - 9:00 a.m.: Closing announcements

In April, the CYP Coffee Talk networking event will feature a panel of speakers, one of which will be Scott Lindsey at the same time, on the first Tuesday of April and at the same location. (There's more to come about Scott's event).

*I try to avoid things that make me fat,
like scales, photos and mirrors.*

Promote your company, organization or service ...

Research shows that people prefer to do business with those they know and trust. One of the advantages of Kiwanis is that you build working relationships with a wide-variety of people through weekly meetings, committee meetings, service projects, social events and more. When in need of a specific product or service, Kiwanians will first turn to those they know. That is why it is important to promote your company, organization or service by periodically placing a business card ad in our Club Bulletin.

Rates are reasonable. Please contact Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman** for rates and layout requirements.

*I drink wine because the doctor said
I shouldn't keep things bottled up.*

Next meeting

(February 29, 2016)

Program:

Jen Koma – Simon Kenton Council, Boy Scouts
of America

Greeters:

Joyce Waters - Johnson Investment Counsel
Tom Christman – The Ohio Exterminating
Company

Invocation:

Kathleen Roberts – Sweetbriar Group LLC

Committee Meetings: Fifth Monday – Recognition
of 1916 Society, Hixson Fellows, Zeller Fellows and
Legion of Honor.

Menu Options:

Hot: To be determined

Cold: To be determined

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